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1. HONDURAS 2. CNTRY CODE: 215 3. SER. NO: 0034400

4. AUTO PARTES HANDAL, S. DE R.L. DE C.V.

5. P.O. BOX 1018; 3 AVE. 14 CALLE N.O.

6. SAN PEDRO SULA, HONDURAS

7. ESTABL: 1960 8. EMPL: 23 9. SIZE: (19-X) LARGE

10. REPUTATION: (22-X) EXCELLENT

11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN HONDURAS

12. RPT. DATE: 03/77

13A. 37141/135 IMP; RET; AND DIST OF MOTOR VEHICLE PARTS AND ACCESSORIES.

14. CONTACT: JOSE MIGUEL HANDAL LARACH, TITLE: MANAGER
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15. CABLE: AUTOPARTES HANDAL 16. TELEX: NA 17. TEL: 521796

18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANCAHSA, 5 AVE. S.O. 46, SAN PEDRO SULA; BANCO DE EL AHORRO HONDURENO, S.A. 5 AVE. 4 CALLE S.O., SAN PEDRO SULA.

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19. TRADE REFS: FEDERAL MOGUL CORP. 269 GIRALDA AVE. CORAL GABLES, FLA., 33269; SEALED POWER CORP., 2001 SANFORD, MUSKEGAN, MICHIGAN 49443; TRW INC., 23555 EUCLID AVE., CLEVELAND, OHIO 44117.

20. AGENCY REP. OF SEALED POWER CORP. 2001 SANFORD, MUSKEGON. MICHIGAN 49443, FOR MOTOR PARTS, ACQUIRED 1962.

21. THIS FIRM IS THE LARGEST DISTRIBUTOR OF AUTO PARTS IN HONDURAS. IT DISTRIBUTES AUTO PARTS FOR U.S., EUROPEAN AND JAPANESE CARS, TRUCKS AND BUSES. ITS BASIC CAPITAL IS ALMOST US DOLS 200,000; 1976 SALES WERE OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS. IT RECENTLY MOVED INTO ITS NEW SPACIOUS BUILDING IN THE COMMERCIAL CENTER OF SAN PEDRO SULA. IT ALSO OPERATES A REPAIR SHOP FOR MOTOR VEHICLES. THE OWNERS ARE MESSRS. JOSE MIGUEL AND CONSTANTINO HANDAL LARACH, TWO BROTHERS, WHO BOTH MANAGE THE BUSINESS. IT HAS DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES TO COVER THE ENTIRE NORTHERN AREA OF THE COUNTRY. THE FIRM'S FINANCES ARE SOUND AND OBLIGATIONS ARE MET PROMPTLY. THE POST CONSIDERS THE SUBJECT AN EXCELLENT TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS.

22. PREPARED BY: H. CASTILLO, APPROVED BY: M. KROMHOUT. BECKER

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